



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Confirmation No.: 8161

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Art Unit: 3627

Application No. 09/606,211

Examiner: F. Zeender

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For: TRANSACTION MANAGING APPARATUS AND METHOD AND RECORDING
MEDIUM STORING TRANSACTION MANAGING PROGRAM THEREIN

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

ATTN: Mail Stop Amendment

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Date: July 18, 2005

(July 16=Saturday; July 17=Sunday)

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2005, the time period for response having been extended from June 16, 2005 until July 16, 2005 by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time. In the prosecution of the application identified above, please consider the following:

The replacement specification is addressed on page 2.

The claims are amended beginning on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 8.